

# The Hilo Tribune.

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THE desire of the members of the Board of Trade for a greater manifest interest in its work on the part of the public found voice at the annual meeting. The efforts of such an organization as promoters of the public good, commercially and otherwise, certainly ought to have the support of every man who has interest in the welfare of his community. That a board of trade, or similar organization, is important, is a necessity, indeed, in an ambitious town, scarcely admits of argument; it is a universally admitted fact. On the mainland, from cities down to aspiring towns, all maintain such an organization. The public is personified in the board, in effect, if not always in fact, and through it the public has voice and action. In no city can this kind of a public organization be more useful than in Hilo. Our board is performing valuable service for this community, and is a necessity here for special reasons. The men who have been serving on the board have given not a little of their valuable time to its work and as individuals their service is recognized. The Hilo board is broadly representative of the business interests of the place; all should unite in giving it co-operation and support.

THE fruit industry has had slow growth on the island of Hawaii. The lack of adequate shipping facilities has hampered it and this from no fault of the transportation companies. Steamers do not come where there is no business for them and, on the other hand, fruit will not be produced where there is no means in sight of getting it to market. It will require a getting together of producer and carrier to make the business, and this may be a slow process of commercial growth. The era of more rapid development of the islands seems to be at hand. With the more improved facilities for handling fruit the industry will take new life. For the immediate future, money, which is life blood of all business, it is believed by those who have been making the subject a study, is to be made in canning the pineapple. In this issue, the TRIBUNE publishes the conclusions of a long-time resident of the islands, which have been reached after making an exhaustive and intelligent study of the question.

At a recent meeting of Chinese guilds and American merchants held at Canton, China, twelve changes in our exclusion law were formulated, the granting of which would, they thought, end the boycott on American goods in China. Among these was this: "That Chinese laborers should be admitted into the Hawaiian and Philippine Islands, provided the local authorities were willing." The Outlook, New York, in this case as usually, is in accord with the administration view of the question. It says: "We may well give immediate heed to most of these demands: not to all, certainly not to the one which concerns the admittance of Chinese laborers to the Hawaiian and Philippine Islands, a request which ignores the supremacy of the United States over these insular possessions." The Outlook is wrong, in this at least, in including the Hawaiian Islands amongst the "insular possessions," for they are part and parcel of the United States; their citizens are voters and the islands have been designated by an act of Congress as the "Territory of Hawaii."

## Kind Arrivals, Jan. 10th 1906.

J. Logan, G. Effinger, Rev. E. W. Thwing, Rev. P. S. Shin & wife, P. S. Leachfield, R. A. Young, P. J. King, A. Richley, T. C. Davies, H. F. Moine, A. M. Bamberg, & wife, A. H. Fair, J. C. Axtell, T. A. Birmingham, J. Tosh, Gustav Rose, J. H. Fisher, Lady Lawson, A. Deacon, Miss Hargreaves, Mr. & Mrs. Packington, Dr. M. S. Barry, J. M. Marlin.

## INSTALLATION AND BANQUET.

Hilo Masons Enjoy Evening of Good Fellowship.

Kilauea Lodge No. 330, F. and A. M. Saturday night installed officers for the year 1906, as follows: Worshipful Master, Wm. T. Baldwin; Senior Warden, E. N. Holmes; Junior Warden, Wm. McKay, Jr.; Treasurer, Adam Lindsay; Secretary, G. H. Vicars; Chaplain, Chas. W. Hill; Marshal, James Henderson; Senior Deacon, D. A. Loebeinstein; Junior Deacon, R. C. Kennedy; Senior Steward, Thomas Guard; Junior Steward, A. C. Gibb; Tyler, Wm. S. Bohm.

There was a large attendance of members of the order from Hilo and vicinity, and a number were present from the other islands and several from abroad.

At the conclusion of the installation ceremonies, those assembled repaired to Hotel Demosthenes, where an elaborate banquet had been prepared for them. After enjoying the good things of the table, toasts were responded to, interspersed with music, in accordance with the following program, Wm. McKay, Jr. presiding as toastmaster:

"The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of California".....Bro. F. A. Medcalf, P. M.  
"Hawaiian Quintette Club"  
"The President of the United States".....Bro. C. W. Hill  
"Kilauea Lodge No. 330, F. & A. M.".....Bro. G. H. Williams, P. M.  
"The Master and Officers of the coming Year".....Bro. W. T. Baldwin, W. M.  
"Hawaiian Quintette Club"  
"Our Visiting Brethren".....Bro. G. H. Pierce  
"Our New Temple".....John Truop Moir  
"Hawaiian Quintette Club"  
"Our Departed Brethren".....In Silence  
To all Masons, whithersoever dispersed.  
Auld Lang Syne.

The chief topic occupying the attention of the speakers of the evening was the new temple which the Masonic Hall Association has decided upon building.

## Plea for Defense of the Islands.

It is sincerely to be hoped that the present session of Congress may witness some practical action looking to the development of our naval and military defenses in the Hawaiian Islands. One project which is specially urgent is the dredging of Pearl Harbor, which, in the nature of things, is destined to become one of our most important naval bases in the Pacific Ocean. The required improvement of Pearl Harbor has already been too long neglected, and should receive immediate attention if we are to retain our naval prestige in the Pacific and gain our proper proportion of the growing commerce of those waters. Lying midway between our Western seaboard and the Philippines, Hawaii occupies a position of extraordinary importance to naval and commercial interests in the Pacific. Properly fortified and provided with a naval base capable of affording shelter, repairs and supplies for our warships, Hawaii would be a powerful factor in the whole system of national defense, but if Oahu is left undefended it would be a source of weakness rather than of strength, offering an attractive invitation to attack from the enemy's fleet.

Pearl Harbor is peculiarly adapted to the needs of a great naval base, and with the proposed improvements it will be one of the most important strategic outposts in the Pacific. The first need is to dredge the harbor, and that should be done without further delay. The dredging of the harbor of Honolulu at a cost of \$400,000 is now approaching completion, and when it is finished the three big dredges in use there will be available for similar service at Pearl Harbor, so that it will be possible to do the work without having to buy a new and costly outfit. Lieut. Commander Albert P. Niblack, U. S. N., in charge of the naval station at Honolulu, is deeply interested in the proposed improvement of Pearl Harbor, and has labored most zealously to enlist official interest in the project. He believes, as do other careful students of the situation, that our future, in a naval as well as in a commercial sense, is bound to center largely in the Pacific, and so believing, he feels, as do all our officers, that enlightened self-interest requires the prompt and thorough development of our defenses in Hawaii.—Army and Navy Journal.

## Carter on the Labor Question.

From a letter addressed to Gorman D. Gilman of Boston, by Governor Carter, treating of labor and financial conditions in Hawaii, and made public, the following extracts are made:

"So far as immigration is concerned, I am not yet convinced but that there may be a solution to it without the necessity of congressional action. There are a few here who are making every effort to work out their own solution. This would be far more simple if only our immigration laws were construed to permit the Territory itself to assist in securing people from some foreign country who could become citizens. How can we increase the population of these islands and thus develop them, isolated as they are in the middle of the Pacific Ocean, without providing the means of transportation?"

"As these islands are an integral part of the Union, they are subject to all laws passed by Congress, and our Federal legislative machinery is of such magnitude that it is almost impossible to make Congress realize that tropical conditions in Hawaii require that she be excepted and exempted from the operation of many laws which are passed, with sound reason, to meet conditions which exist on the mainland. And if success is to crown American control of Hawaii, these facts must not be lost sight of, and as she can not for some time be admitted as a state, then she must have, because of her unique position, special legislation from time to time."

"Hawaii's main industry and her principal source of wealth is the production of sugar, and from the wealth so obtained she has in the past secured the means for her progress and advancement. Whether wisely or not, she built up an industrial system by using the machinery, brains and capital of the Occident in combination with labor from the Orient, and she justifies such a course by pointing to the fact that no other tropical country in so short a period of time has made such a record."

"Unless an increase of population can be obtained from some source, the excess of departures over arrivals among the Orientals will sap the foundations of our industrial structure."

"Thus the first thing needed is a modification of our immigration laws by which we can in some way build up the population of these islands and re-enforce the supply of labor that is now slipping away from us."

## Henry Fires His Deputy.

High Sheriff Henry will summarize discharge the jailer at Wai-alea, who was absent from duty and intoxicated when he was wanted in the Johnson murder case. When Johnson was arrested for the killing of the little Wharton boy the jailer was not to be found at his post of duty and there was no one to look after the prisoner. Investigation showed that he was out with a jag negotiating for more booze on credit.

"I regard that as good and sufficient reason for a summary discharge," said the high sheriff this morning, "and the jailer will have to go. It is very difficult to get men who are fitted for such positions as that of jailer."

## Notice of Intention to Foreclose and of Sale by Assignee of Mortgage

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in that certain chattel mortgage dated the 31st day of March, A. D. 1904, and recorded in the Registry of Conveyance in Liber 256, pp. 457 to 459, made by M. J. Pacheco and wife of Hilo, County and Territory of Hawaii, to The Hilo Mercantile Co. of Hilo aforesaid, and which said mortgage was duly assigned to Clay M. Hudson and T. T. Chave of Hilo aforesaid, by the said Hilo Mercantile Co., by document dated January 15th, 1906, the said Clay M. Hudson and T. T. Chave, assignees as aforesaid, intend to foreclose said mortgage for breach of conditions therein contained, to-wit, non-payment of principal and interest when due.

Notice is also given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in that certain chattel mortgage dated the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1901, made by M. J. Pacheco aforesaid, and the Hilo Mercantile Co. aforesaid, and assigned to the said Clay M. Hudson and T. T. Chave aforesaid by document dated January 15th, 1906, the said assignees intend to foreclose said mortgage for breach of conditions, to-wit, non-payment of principal and interest.

The property covered by the first mortgage is a one-story iron-roof dwelling house, 22 feet by 20 feet containing 3 rooms with cook-house attached, situated at Pihonua, Hilo, Hawaii, on land leased from John T. Baker.

The property covered by the second mortgage is one dwelling house of same size as that described above and situated in Pihonua aforesaid on land leased from J. T. Baker.

Notice is also given that the said dwelling houses will be sold at public auction at the main door of the Court House in Hilo on Wednesday, the 31st day of January, A. D. 1906, at 12 o'clock noon of the day, by A. S. LeBaron Gurney, auctioneer.

Terms, cash, United States gold coin. Deed at expense of purchaser. Dated Hilo, T. H., January 15, 1906.

CLAY M. HUDSON,  
T. T. CHAVE,  
Assignees of Mortgage.  
For further particulars apply to Assignees or Harry Irwin, Attorney for assignees. 12-3

## BY AUTHORITY.

### Tax Notice for 1906.

Property tax returns for year 1906, and Income tax returns for six months preceding January 1, 1906, must be made in the month of January, 1906.

Personal taxes (Poll, Road and School) will become delinquent after March 31. Taxes on all dogs and vehicles (including bicycles and automobiles) will be delinquent after May 15.

Property and Income taxes will become delinquent: One-half after May 15 and balance after November 15.

A penalty of 10 per cent and interest at 10 per cent will be charged on all taxes upon becoming delinquent.

RATES:  
Personal (Poll, Road and School).....\$ 5.00  
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Automobile tax.....20.00  
Brakes and Sulkies, each.....20.00  
All other Vehicles, each.....5.00  
Property.....1 per cent on full value  
Income.....2 per cent on net income  
All bicycles must have attached a tag furnished by the Tax Assessor.

N. C. WILLFONG,  
2d Assessor 3rd Taxation Division.

## Public Lands Notice.

1. On Wednesday, February 14, 1906, at and after 9 o'clock a. m., at the Public Lands Office, Hilo, Hawaii, applications will be received under the provisions of Part VII, Land Act, 1895, (Right of Purchase Lease) for the following lots of Public Land:  
Lots 49 and 50, Map 22, Maunaloa, Hilo, Hawaii, as one lot.  
Area, 12.06 acres, appraised value, \$180.90.

Appraised value improvements, \$150.00, to be paid cash, U. S. gold coin, upon date of application for land.

2. On Saturday, February 17, 1906, at and after 9 o'clock a. m., at the Court House, Honokaa, Hamakua, Hawaii, applications will be received under the provisions of Part VI, Land Act, 1895, (999 year Homestead Leases) for the following lots of Public Land:

Divisions A, B, C and D, of Lot 1, Map 3, Hamakua, Hawaii.

3. At 12 o'clock noon, on above date, at the Court House, Honokaa, Hamakua, Hawaii, will be sold at public auction under Part VII, Land Act, 1895, (Cash Freeholds) the following lots of Public Land, together with improvements thereon:

Lot 1, Map 10, Ahualoa, Hamakua, Hawaii. Area, 48.65 acres, upset price, \$440.55.

Lot 2, Map 10, Ahualoa, Hamakua, Hawaii. Area, 45.03 acres, upset price, \$415.21.

Lot 3, Map 10, Ahualoa, Hamakua, Hawaii. Area, 57.01 acres, upset price, \$652.57.

Plans of the lots, and full particulars as to necessary qualifications of applicants, methods of applying, terms, etc., may be obtained at the Land Department, Honolulu, Sub-Agent's Office, Hilo, or at the office of Jos. Pritchard, Honokaa.

JAS. W. PRATT,  
Commissioner of Public Lands.  
Honolulu, T. H., January 9, 1906.  
Jan. 16, 23, 30—Feb. 6, 13

## Hoolaha Aina Aupuni.

1. Ma ka Poakolu, la 14 o Februari, 1906, i ka hora 9 a. m. a mahope iho, ma ke Keena Aina Aupuni, ma Hilo, Hawaii, e waiho ia mai no na palapala noi malalo o ka Mahele VII, Kanawai Aina, 1895, (Kuleana Kuai Hoolimalima) no na Apana Aina Aupuni malalo iho nei:

Na Apana 49 ame 50, Palapala Aina 22, Maunaloa, Hilo, Hawaii, i hookahi apana. Iiaina, 12.06 eka, kumu waiwai, \$180.90.

Kumu waiwai o na pono o luna, \$150.00, a e uku ia ma ke kuiki, dala gula o Amerika Huihuia, ma ka la e waiho ia mai ai ka palapala noi no na eiga nei.

2. Ma ka Poakolu, la 17 o Februari, 1906, i ka hora 9 a. m. a mahope iho, ma ka Hale Hookolokolo o Honokaa, Hamakua, Hawaii, e waiho ia mai no na palapala noi malalo o ka Mahele VI, Kanawai Aina, 1895, (Home Hookuono-ono 999 makahiki) no na Apana Aina Aupuni malalo iho nei:

Na Mahele A, B, C ame D, o ka Apana 1, Palapala Aina 3, Capahu, Hamakua, Hawaii.

3. Ma ka hora 12 awakea o ka la i hoike ia maluna ae, ma ka Hale Hookolokolo, Honokaa, Hamakua, Hawaii, e kuai kudala ia aku ai malalo o ka Mahele VII, Kanawai Aina, 1895, (Kuleana Kuai) na Apana Aina Aupuni malalo iho nei, me na pono waiwai o luna:

Apana 1, Palapala Aina 10, Ahualoa, Hamakua, Hawaii. Iiaina, 48.65 eka, kumu waiwai haahaa, \$440.55.

Apana 2, Palapala Aina 10, Ahualoa, Hamakua, Hawaii. Iiaina, 45.03 eka, kumu waiwai haahaa, \$415.21.

Apana 3, Palapala Aina 10, Ahualoa, Hamakua, Hawaii. Iiaina, 57.01 eka, kumu waiwai haahaa, \$652.57.

O na kii o na aina, ame na kuhikahi pili a i na mea e kupono ai ka mea e noi ana, ke ano o ka noi ana, a pela aku, e loaa no ma ke Keena Aina Aupuni, ma Honolulu, Keena o ka Hope Akena ma Hilo, a i ole i ke Keena o Jos. Pritchard, ma Honokaa.

JAS. W. PRATT,  
Komisina o na Aina Aupuni.  
Honolulu, T. H., Januani 9, 1906.  
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